

COTTON MARKET

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Oct. 24—Cotton futures opened steady. December 21:30, January 20:58; July 20:57.

WEATHER REPORT

(Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Oct. 24—Alabama: Mostly cloudy. Possibly showers tonight and Sunday. Cooler Sunday and tonight in north and central portions.

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DECATUR-SHOALS HIGHWAY IS NEXT PROJECT

DELEGATES PREPARE
LEAVE TUESDAY FOR
ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Unification To Occupy
Limelight Of The
Gathering

LOCAL CHURCH-
MEN ARE DIVIDED

All Will Have Good
Reports Of Progress
For The Year

First Methodist church, Decatur, will send Rev. Claude Orear and Hon. W. W. Callahan to attend the annual conference meeting to be held in Huntsville, beginning next Wednesday morning and last through Saturday. Reverend James D. Hunter and Honorable L. P. Troup will represent the Central Methodist church, Albany. Rev. W. D. Barnes, Ninth street Methodist and Rev. W. M. Wade of the Austinville Methodist church will attend the conference. No delegates were appointed from the other two churches. Rev. R. T. Tyler and C. W. Sarver will represent the Athens Methodists while Rev. R. W. Anderson and J. T. Cooper constitute the selection from Hartselle Methodist organization. All will leave Tuesday night for Huntsville to gather for the initial session Wednesday morning.

Other than the selection of ministers for the many posts of duty, the matter for greatest consideration coming before the conference will be the subject of Unification. Bishop Warren G. Candler will preside at the conference sessions and is known to be opposed to the plan. It is expected that the subject will bring about direct discussion between the delegates who seem to be well divided on the plan for the uniting of the churches. A local pool of the delegates and ministers going to the conference indicates that the plan is met both with favor and with opposition.

Local pastors expressed the opinion today that Methodist organizations in this section have passed through a profitable year, many of the churches showing substantial membership increases. Annual reports show the churches to be on a sound financial basis, according to the belief of the ministers who will leave Tuesday to receive their charges for the coming year.

Progress of the Huntsville meeting will be watched with unusual local interest owing to the live issue in the unification plan. Local Methodists have been discussing the plan freely for months and will closely follow the decision.

Requests have been made that Dr. J. S. Robertson, presiding elder of the Decatur district, be returned here owing to the splendid record he has made in the handling of his work. His accomplishment while having been substantially felt in the cities has been most effective in the rural sections where pastors with small congregations have been struggling up.

STEWARDS ARE SELECTED BY
CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH

Selection of various church leaders a board of stewards and final reports for the closing conference year, were the features of the meeting held Friday evening at the Central Methodist church when 27 members of the board of stewards gathered for the Fourth Quarterly Conference.

With Dr. J. S. Robertson, presiding elder, in the chair, business was considered immediately. The result in the election of Sunday school officials were J. F. Lovin as superintendent with Prof. R. B. Johnson as assistant superintendent. C. J. Randolph was elected as lay leader for the coming year.

Reports of the years work were filed and Dr. Hunter said today that a splendid record can be shown dur-

Bulgaria Masses
Her Little Force
Against Invaders

Two Field Guns will Resist Greek Artillery
Until Gunners Are Killed, Troopers
Assert; Morale of Soldiers Good

(Associated Press)
SOFIA, Bulgaria, Oct. 24.—Bulgaria is sending troops into the "war area" and has decided to make a stand as far as her limited military strength permits, in case the Greeks continue to invade the territory granted her under the treaty of Neuilly. This is stated in authoritative quarters here.

The artillery, sent to the effected district, is limited to two field guns, but it is asserted that if brought into action, they will fire upon the invad-

ers until silenced by their superior long range guns.

The morale of the officers and men is said to be excellent, they vowing to die, rather than allow the Greeks to advance further.

Large contingents of Greek troops continue to be sent toward the Bulgarian border, the Bulgarian telegraph agency announced. It considers this an indication the Greeks intend to enlarge the scope of their present offensive. The government says that Greeks have pierced Bulgarian territory to a depth of more than seven miles on a 20 mile front.

TO SELECT JUDGES
AT NEGRO SCHOOL

Representatives Will
Go To Tuskegee To
Southern Meet

Students of the Morgan County negro training school, at Hartselle will be eligible for consideration in a contest to be held there on October 26, when representatives will be chosen to go to Tuskegee on Dec. 8, 9 and 10 to compete in a judging contest open to seven states.

Announcement of the plans was made Saturday by T. W. Bridges, negro farm demonstration agent for the county and C. A. Gee, home demonstration agent among the county's negro women.

R. M. McKenzie, principal of the Hartselle school, makes the following announcement also:

"Judges from Tuskegee will see students of Morgan County at the Colored Training school Monday, Oct. 26, make bread and cut and make dresses. In this interstate contest there will be also boys judging corn, dairy and beef cattle. Another feature will be the 'oratorical contest' on the 'Resources of My State' and singing of plantation melodies.

County officials and other white friends were cordially invited to be present.

"It will be of interest to our friends to know that this school opened its third session September 28 with the greatest enrollment since its beginning. People from Danville, Oakville, Somerville, Falkville and other points were there with their children for another year of good work.

"The school is benefitted by the addition of some new and active teachers this year, among which is the music and home economics teachers. The last mentioned is from Tuskegee and is much interested in her work. The outlook for a successful year is very bright."

BODY OF MISSING
GIRL DISCOVERED

(Associated Press)
EUREKA, Calif., Oct. 24.—The body of Miss Carmen Wagner, 18, Ferndale beauty parlor proprietor, for whom posse have been scouring the backwoods and hills near Eureka, for several days, was found yesterday in a rudely made grave in an isolated wooded section, 75 miles east of here.

The young woman had been shot to death. Her dog, Pronto, shot thru the head, was found a few feet away.

Henry Sweet, the companion of Miss Wagner on a hunting trip, was found murdered beside his parked automobile several miles from where

Miss Wagner and her dog were found.

The finding of Sweet's body, several days ago, led to the search for Miss Wagner, which ended yesterday.

Soon after the discovery was made, the posse arrested Walter David, 24 year old half-breed Indian. Unexplained scratches on his face, declared to resemble finger-nail marks, were the direct cause of his arrest.

Search was underway today for Jack Ryan, 22, half brother of Davis.

Crow, F. B. Stewart, H. M. Priest,

SURVEYS ARE MADE
FOR TWO ROUTES ON
PROPOSED HIGHWAY

County Seeks Data On
Cost Of Road To
Marshall

BIG TERRITORY
WILL BE OPENED

Many More People Will
Be Served By The
Proposed Route

M. S. Brigham, Morgan County engineer has been busy sometime in making the preliminary surveys of two proposed routes for part of a new highway, planned to be built in the eastern section of this county toward Marshall county.

This data will be presented to the Morgan County board of revenue and it is believed the commissioners will adopt some plan for opening an improved road through a territory which is said to have more than 1,000 population, giving the people of that territory outlets over good roads, whereas now many of them are hedged about by roads which are virtually impassable in the winter months.

One of the routes surveyed was from east of Woodland Mills, across the mountain toward Marshall county. The other route was from Florette over Yellow Bluff, toward Marshall. It is planned by county officials to ascertain which one of the routes can be built the cheapest. The road it is understood, will have no steeper than five per cent grades.

The repair gang, now at work on county roads, under the direction of C. E. Malone, contractor, is engaged on the pike east of Florette, getting that highway in good shape for the heavy winter traffic. The Danville pike, leading from Hartselle, already has been repaired.

Safety Deposit
Boxes Are Looted

(Associated Press)
TAMPA, Fla., Oct. 24.—A. W. Leonard, of Seattle, Wash., head of the Stone and Webster Power and Traction interests in the northwest, was notified by wire today that six safety deposit boxes in the vault in his Seattle office, had been looted of valuables said to be worth \$75,000.

Two men were found dead in the hall and the third died later in a hospital from bullet in his brain.

John MacLeredy, said to be part owner of the house was arrested charged with suspicion of homicide.

The men found dead were identified as Michael Orsea of Yonkers, and Vincento Chinimameme of Manhattan, the third man was known to police only as Willie.

When police arrived all of the gunmen had fled. Cables had been torn apart for use as clubs in the free for all fight that preceded the fight. Chairs were smashed and other furniture demolished. Police found bullets embedded in the walls. The two men found dead in the hallway had been shot in the back, apparently as they fled towards the street. The man who later died at the hospital was found lying on the floor of a rear kitchen with an empty revolver near by.

Fingerprints of the three dead men showed that they all had criminal records.

Church Basement
Used For Meeting

(Associated Press)

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THE WIFE WHO WASN'T WANTED with Irene Rich is a picturization of this novel.

SYNOPSIS

Mrs. John Manning and Diane Bledsoe are caught in a forest fire. The girl plunges into the river, from which she is drawn by the older woman. Mrs. Manning accomplishes the rescue at the peril of her own life, for a landslide has broken the dam and Manning with difficulty fights to save his wife from the unleashed flood. It is a desperate struggle, with every step being a pain, every movement a sponge.

CHAPTER XV—Continued

Headless of the flames which leaped beside him and of the over-powering heat, John reached the bank and dropped down upon the edge. Completely spent, his heavying chest cried for air where there was only smoke, his heated blood called for coolness where there was only fire. Strangling, choking, all was growing dark about him as consciousness faded. It was weak and quivering arms, without a pound of lifting power, that he extended down to her useless arms, helpless arms.

And that raging, surging mass of water was upon her—it towered above her!

In that awful moment, Eileen seemed to sense her husband's presence. Looking upwards, she gazed full into his glazed eyes. In that instant, the fear and sadness in her face melted before wonder, before joy and inexpressible happiness.

"John," she breathed, and again, "John."

Amidst the thunder of waters which raged at her feet, her cry seemed to penetrate the twilight of his consciousness. Its sound was



They stood gazing out at the sunlit lawn.

as a stimulant to his will, a tonic to his flaccid muscles. In a flash, his arms were steeled, the grip with which he seized her raised hands was as of iron. With the strength of a giant, he swung her up and back to safety even as that frightful wave tore at her ankles, at her knees, at her waist. Then, leaping back himself, he sank beside her, as balked of its prey, the wave swept on.

How long they lay there, John never knew. Suddenly cool, pure, life giving air was in his lungs. The draft caused by that mighty rush of water had revived them, and down there at the water's edge, they were protected from the awful heat of the burning forest. John sat up and took Eileen in his arms. They were safe.

A little distance away, along the shore, was Bledsoe, and Diane, like a tired child lay across his knees.

"Dead," he whispered in an agony of sorrow. "Diane is dead."

Then his bent figure straightened itself and in the seamed lines of his grief stricken face, there burned a rugged honesty which was almost heroic.

"She told me," he said. "Diane told me all before she died. The world must know the truth about your boy. She made me promise that."

Now, when the forest fire had burned itself out, they made their way back to the road with Bledsoe bearing the body of his daughter as if it were a sleeping baby. John

and Eileen remembered little. For that matter, the ride home seemed, after what they had undergone, like a dream. A restful, soothng dream, after a horrid nightmare.

It was well into the morning of the next day, election day, before Eileen began to feel herself again. Then, she moved slowly out on the terrace of her home and gazed forth at the sun lighted lawn with a great peace in her heart. In her hand was the newspaper she had been reading since breakfast and wonderfully interesting had she found it. In it was an account of the forest fire, of the destruction of Bledsoe's home and the village of Meadowville; there too, was described the breaking of the dam and the great flood which had followed it. There also was the stirring story of John and Bledsoe's ride, or her husband's rescue of her and of Diane's death. Much space indeed was devoted by that journal to John Manning. There was exposed the trickery by which Jerome Wallace would have robbed him of the election. There was also item setting forth the action of the county authorities in refusing to accept John's resignation. There was another regarding the refusal of the County Central Committee to order his name removed from the ticket as their candidate for the office of District Attorney. And still another item there was. One or but a few lines and which Dryden would never have published had it not been for Bledsoe's grim insistence. That told of Diane's confession.

A paper containing much and momentous news was it, and Eileen's eyes were still big with the wonder of these things, when a big car swung up the drive with a roar which awakened the echoes of the place. John Manning sat in the back and beside him was a slight figure. Even as the machine slowed, that figure arose and vanishing from the car ran swiftly towards her. It was Bob. With a cry of gladness, she gathered him in her arms. It was her boy,—her baby,—come home. Tears of joy leaped to her eyes to quickly dry as she pressed him again and again to her. Finally, she turned to her husband.

"What about the election, John?"

He gazed down into her eyes and smiled as she had not seen him smile in days.

"There can be but one result. The opposition has repudiated Wallace, withdrawn his name from the ticket. I have no opposition."

Now, as the three of them waited, there came from the direction of the brick wall a cheery oohoo, at the sound of which Bob flushed and grew very uneasy.

And, with never a thought of waiting in maidenly reserve for her lover, no, not even content to meet him half way, Marjorie came dancing across the lawn in search of him.

Bob joined her at the foot of the steps and as they turned away, she raised her finger for his inspection and something glittered upon it.

"Look, Bob," her girlish voice was waited back to John and Eileen. "It's our engagement ring. I bought it myself."

John turned to his wife and that old wry smile was on his face.

"Heaven preserve us!" he said.

Eileen looked up with dancing eyes. Subconsciously, she must have caught something of the warm recommendation which Reddy had given the inn keeper at Meadowville concerning herself, for now, she paraphrased it for Marjorie's benefit.

"She's the sort of girl, John, who knows exactly what she wants, and she doesn't care how she gets it, so long as she gets it."

"Well, then, good bye, Bob," said John, but there was never a bit of sorrow about him, as he drew his arm about his wife. And so they stood gazing out at the sun lighted lawn, that seemed in its brightness to reflect their own future.

As they did so, the self same bird which had sung upon the trellis before Eileen's window on the morning of Bob's birthday, fitted back to his former perch and caroled joyously. Caroled with marvelous sweetness, as if indeed he heralded the advent of another day. A day when truth would rule and justice reign. Yes, justice—tempered by love.

The End

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OFFICE CAT



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To bring success in advertising the advertiser has to keep on keeping on.

A girl of no principle is often able to draw a lot of interest.

"Even if your wife is almost sixty" said the judge, "you had no business beating her up just because she had her hair bobbed." "Say, Judge" asked the aged defendant, "you'd oughter saw what she done to me a year ago when I shaved my whiskers off."

Someone ought to start a school of anaesthetic dancing.

A woman's aim in life is usually at her husband.

Dear Ed:

Say, how's for helping out a friend? I want a radio and I wants build it. Here's what I got to start with; one sliver differential and fender, two insides of alarm clocks, one pair of galoshes, some glue, one old umbrella, numerous tobacco cans, a pint flask, lots of brass, and a little ambition. What sort of a set do you suggest? —Radio Fanatic.

Dear Fanatic:

We suggest you go on and make a Ford Sedan as the only added expense would be that of thumb tacks. At present you are a pint flask nearer a flier than a radio which, of course should be taken into consideration.

"I may be down, but I'm not out," exclaimed the second baseman as he successfully slid into second.

A minister says girls today are looking for husbands. But the wise ones will continue to look for single men.

He who flirts and runs away, Lives to flirt another day. He who flirts and does not run, His troubles then have just begun. Alimony he must pay. If he will flirt another day.

A mother finds it hard to forgive the woman who marries her son and the man who wouldn't marry her daughter.

One of the best ways to stop your wife from talking so much is to put concrete in her beauty clay.

Adam and Eve had their first picnic "Too bad," said Adam, "we have no newspapers to scatter about.

Somebody said a waffle was a non skid pancake. We call it a baked cross-word.

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"Nothing seemed to help me, till I began on Cardui. The first bottle seemed to strengthen me, and I sent for five more. By the time I had taken these, I was on my feet, going around, doing my work, gained in health and strength."

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United States Senator from New York.

Former Commissioner of Health, New York City

ONE of the useless things we are always doing is to give advice to your friends, warning against overdoing. We overeat, over-work, over-worry, over-everything.

It takes a lot of character to live just exactly right. We know what should be done and how to do it. Then why don't we?

Each of us believes in his heart that somehow or other he will escape the usual penalties for violating the rules of life. Every time a willful murder is committed it is done by a man who plans and expects to evade detection.

It is just the same way with the ordinary rules of hygiene. Some way, somehow there will be found an avenue of escape, many believe. So in this spirit we go through life.

Modest as we like to appear, the fact is each of us possesses colossal self-conceit. We may be sensible about everything else, but disease and death won't catch us for years and years!

DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

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A.—This may be due to poor circulation, indigestion or poor intestinal elimination. Correct these. For further particulars kindly send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

R. E. G. Q.—I am a boy of twenty. How can I increase my height and weight?

A.—You may grow a little taller during the next year or so. After one has reached twenty-one there is very little chance of increasing the height. You can increase your weight by building yourself up generally. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

S. B. Q.—What do you advise for eczema?

A.—Careful attention to the diet and regular intestinal elimination should help you. For further particulars send a stamped, self-addressed envelope and repeat your question.

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12 Years Ago From The Daily of
TODAY October 24, 1913New regulations, placed in effect by the street
car company, require entrance into the cars only
from the right. ***Dr. George Eaves, of the Jefferson County Anti-
Tuberculosis association, will lecture tonight at
the Y. M. C. A.Miss May Alma Lampkin will become the bride
of Eugene R. Guy this evening. ***Mr. and Mrs. Cohen have moved into their resi-
dence at 330 Johnston street. ***

Chief Whyte is ill today. ***

B. E. Preuit is in Nashville today.

Here is a story the movies will not reproduce. Down
in Gray, Georgia, the testimony of a nine year old daughter
convicted her father of first degree murder. The lit-
tle chap faced the jury and told the graphic story of how
her father had killed his mother-in-law, smiling frequent-
ly in the direction of her father as if he were an utter
stranger. Such is not true in shadowland; there must be
fantasy, romance, devotion, love, red-blooded men, splen-
dor, but never shall there be reality.Here is a much appreciated tribute from the Hartsville
Enterprise:
To be able to appreciate and applaud the good work
of an opponent is the highest mark of true sports-
manship. Although his home team was badly de-
feated, the sports writer for the Albany-Decatur
Daily was big enough and broad enough to give the
Morgan County High school football team full credit
for the splendid victory over the Decatur High school
team Friday. The Morgan county boys are very ap-
preciative of this fine spirit and feel that nothing
could have done more to cement the good relation-
ship between the two schools than the generous words
from the Daily.Miss Virginia Gorham, a pretty telephone operator of
New York city, has loved and married three men in the
space of twenty months. Miss Gorham is only 21 herself.
She has an enviable record for one so young, caus-
ing men to give up the title of Bluebeard, this ancient
mythical title is given a violent feminine twist. You may
call it funny if you wish, but we wonder how in the world
she did it without divorcing any of them. She is in court
now, which is quite natural, charged with bigamy and
her defense is in the form of a plea that she does not
see why anyone should not marry when they love as she
has. Conventions of this life are most exacting, as Miss
Gorham will likely find before she is cleared of the charge
which she now faces. Were it not for the conventions
which Americans uphold it is likely that we should be
emulating rather than scoffing at the reputed practices
of Soviet Russia.**IF THE BOLL WEEVIL DISAPPEARS, WHAT
WILL BE THE FUTURE OF THE SOUTH?**For several years the South has waged intensive war-
fare on the boll weevil, greatest menace to cotton that
Dixie has ever known, yet when we find ourselves pos-
sibly on the eve of victory, we are filled with misgivings.
With the boll weevil exterminated what will the South's
future be? This question is bothering many Southern
leaders.If the weevil is fully exterminated, many writers be-
lieve the South would produce 20,000,000 bales. Much as
we may strive for a big crop, such a production would
mean disaster, paradoxical as that statement may appear.Clarence Ousley, president of the National Boll Weevil
Association, is satisfied that the weevil, from a "scientific
and practical standpoint is definitely under control." The
association which he headed is to be dissolved.Mr. Ousley does not intend that his statement should
be taken as a declaration that the South is entirely freed
from the pest. Many sections still are infested, but his
point is that knowledge of how to fight the weevil has
been so generally disseminated that there is no section
that is without expert leadership in freeing that particular
area, whenever it becomes necessary to begin active combat.Many newspapers, while acclaiming Mr. Ousley's an-
nouncement, and praising his association for the work it
has accomplished, warn Southern farmers not to be too
sure of their safety from the pest. Others believe that
the weevil already has passed its zenith in its destiny
and now is on the decline, largely through natural causes.Whatever the real status of the weevil is, it is without
question that science has accomplished wonders in con-
trolling the pest and limiting the damage it might do.
However, if science stops only at teaching us how to raise
more cotton, and get less for it, we are little better off
than we would be without technical aid.But science does not stop. Through the farm bureaus
and the farm agents, every farmer is learning how to
adopt scientific tactics in diversification of his crops.Some writers are bold enough to assert that if Dixie ever
produced one single cotton crop totalling 20,000,000 bales,
that it would bankrupt countless thousands of farmers
because of the low price the product would bring.Whether they put the case too strongly or not, it is
reasonable to suppose that the price paid for a crop of
that magnitude would be so low that it would cause seri-
ous financial embarrassment.Science is aiding in exterminating cotton pests, and
permitting growers to get a fair yield of the staple on the
acres planted in cotton, but we must do something for
ourselves. Our answer, the conclusions of many ob-
servers indicate, is in keeping down the cotton acreage
and utilizing surplus acreage in planting feedstuffs and
other cash crops.**DOES THE HUMAN FAMILY POSSESS SOME CRUEL
TRAIT WHICH MAKES ENJOYABLE
THE WOE OF OTHERS?**The Associated Press is exclusively entitled to the use
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news published therein.All rights of re-publication of special dispatches herein
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towns ever have. Now they are trying five mem-
bers of their revenue board on impeachment charges,
says an editorial paragraph in the Guntersville Demo-
crat. Unfortunately there is too much truth in the state-
ment.It may have been something of a feeling of tolerance
of the faults of others, however, which causes the Gads-
den Times-News to head the paragraph: "Not fun for
some."That also is truth. It is not fun for those who are
in trouble. It never is fun for them. It is regrettable
that the human race is so constituted that it does obtain
"fun" from the plight of those less fortunate. Man, as
an animal, has more pity in his make-up than most of
the other animals. Yet there must be, in this great human
family of ours, some cruel trait which makes enjoyable
to many the woes of others.Few members of this family live out their allotted span
of years without encountering, at some time or another,
some of the difficulties of life. Those who have gone on
before are willing witnesses to this fact, histories teach
it, and yet, every generation comes along with very much
the same attitude.A veteran burlesque comedian once played here with
a tabloid musical comedy company, which he had organ-
ized to carry him through his declining years. Looking
back on his years of experience in dealing with the Ameri-
can public, he said one fact impressed him more than any
other. It was that the public generally appeared to really
enjoy seeing someone get hurt. He pointed out that it
was this one characteristic which made possible the long
vogue of the "slap-stick" comedian.And it is a fact that people apparently find something
amazingly funny in the sight of a person slipping on a
banana peeling; a comedian being punched in the face
with a piece of pie; or falling down a ladder; or being
kicked or mauled about. The urge to laugh seems to take
precedence over every other impulse. Even before it can
possibly be ascertained whether injuries have been sus-
tained, a well known comedian, with big feet, can carry
his audiences almost into convulsions by the simple ex-
pedient of tripping and falling. The harder he falls and the
more yardage he accumulates in the descent, the
greater the laughter.That is true in the theatre, and it is true, to a very
great degree, in life outside the theatre.Murder trials draw tremendous crowds. Sometimes
those attending have real cause for their presence, sometimes
they are drawn by some strange desire to glimpse
the unfortunate defendant on trial for his life.Birmingham, we take it, is no different from any other
cosmopolitan city of its size. Surely, Birmingham will
have its share of "fun" when the members of the board
are placed on trial, for there is something exorbitantly
funny in the sight of persons, firms or corporations
of the Soviet state."The Daily knows nothing of the merits of the contro-
versy in Birmingham. The question is not one of whether
or not the members of the board are right or wrong in
this instance. Even were a defendant who was known to
be guilty and who possessed every despicable character-
istic on earth, on trial, there would be no sane reason for
a smacking of lips and loud guffaws because of his predic-
ment.Such a spirit is not in accord with the teaching of the
humble, gentle Carpenter of Nazareth, who taught a creed
of love of fellowmen.**A TRAIN OF THOUGHTS
for the Sabbath and Other Days**

BY J. E. BLAIR

It hath been said, "Why may I not believe in Confucius?"
Certainly, you may, provided you wish to think
like he did and be like Confucius. If you do not want
to be like Christ, Confucius is about the next "bet" so
to speak. Also you are free to accept the teachings of
John Smith or John Doe, or those of just anybody! This
last idea reveals the folly of believing in ANY MAN, as
all know all men are wrong, if not "liars" as the Psalmist
said of them in his "haste."Again, it hath been said, "Why not believe in God, and
leave Christ out?" Well, that may be done. But re-
member that the world of the past made very little pro-
gress, before the advent of Christ. The Jehovah, God of
the Israelites did not get them very far. They made war,
were religious bigots, narrow and mean—and all nations
were the same, prior to Christ. As nations, there has
been very little improvement since Christ's crucifixion;
but there has been a great improvement in INDIVIDUAL
lives. Paul was greater than Moses; John the Beloved
disciple was greater than Joseph, the Egyptian-Hebrew.
St. James was more honest than Abraham, who once said
his wife was his sister. And it might be recounted, that
today the humblest disciple of Christ, is more reliable
and more lovable than any who deny Him, although they
may occupy "the seats of the mighty." Just as Spartacus,
the gladiator when forced to fight with wild beasts scorned
Nero—saying when he knew death was his immediate
portion—"I would not exchange positions with the blood-
stained Nero, crowned though he be, so no right minded
person would exchange his belief in Christ, for any other
belief or life!It hath been said, "Why not look up through NATURE
to Nature's God?" Very well, but nature study does not
raise the question of "right and wrong." Nature study
and nature admiration does not establish right family
relations, right church relations, nor right national or
individual relations! Let nature speak all she will, and her
words are never like those of the preacher who warns
against sin from the sacred pulpit! So by the process
of elimination, we must leave Confucius to one side—
we must leave Nature to one side. But we cannot help com-
ing face to face with the words of Pilate—"Behold the
Man!" And we will never, try as hard as we please, be
able to ignore the question, "What will you do with Jesus,
who is called the Christ?"**TODAY**

BY ARTHUR BRISBANE

(Continued from page one)

industrial enterprise ever created.

FORD'S work in the aircraft field
is to this nation a blessing of which
the importance cannot be exaggerated.
It may mean the difference
between defeat and victory in the
next war, or more probably it may
mean that for America there will
not be any "next" war.MR. FORD offers to build for the
government at a cost of \$200,000
an all metal dirigible, 150 feet long.
It is the type of aircraft that the
world needs, can fly 2,000 miles
without coming down. It represents
common sense and economy.There is no doubt that President
Coolidge will accept Mr. Ford's offer.
He was among the very first to
praise and encourage Henry
Ford's aircraft plans.THE Protestant Episcopal
Church House of Bishops definitely
removes "Obey" from the mar-
riage ceremony. Many married ladies
had already removed it from the
routine of daily life, common
sense telling them that if marriage
is but an equal partnership, it isn't
much.The old idea about women is dy-
ing out, not too soon, British hus-
bands are no longer allowed by
law to beat their wives with a stick
"No longer than the thumb." The
French unwritten law gives fathers
authority over their children,
according to Westermarck, on the
theory that the child was the pro-
perty of the mother, and the moth-
er was the property of the father.The Moors, according to the same
Westermarck, (See "Origin and De-
velopment of Moral Ideas.") believed
that old men became Saints and
old women witches.Breath of promise eases prove
that old men become foolish and
old women have to be very patient.IN New York City a group of
foolish young men seek to charter a
corporation to encourage Atheism
and destroy the power of the church
and clergy. Quite a programme, but
the Judge wouldn't let it go through.In Russia on the other hand, a
delegation of orthodox priests and
bishops begged the government "for
an equal civil status with citizens
of the Soviet state."

THE priests asked the right to

Wife No. 6

MRS. DE WOLF HOPPER

De Wolf Hopper, stage fa-
vorite and toasted as "the
husband of our country," has
taken Lillian Glaser, singer
and widow of an Oakland,
Cal., dentist, as his sixth
bride. The comedian's third
wife wired congratulations
to the couple.publish religious literature and
have for their children (priests of
the Greek church marry) the same
education as is given to the children
of Peasants. The Russian gov-
ernment says NO.AGAIN yesterday Wall Street
celebrated a 2,000,000 share day.
A seat on the stock exchange has
sold for \$125,000. It is a record
price, but cheap when you consider
that it makes the purchaser one of
the happy eleven hundred that make
"one eighth of one percent" of the
nation's stock speculations. It's a
valuable seat for a man with sound
nerves, a cool head, able to leave
gambling to his clients; but it is
not easy to find 1,100 men of that
kind.Various advertisements of Flori-
da land schemers have published the
statement that this writer is directly
or indirectly connected with such
schemes and requests for in-
formation as to their value come
from many parts of the country.Florida is a great state and will
be greater. But the writer is not
connected in any way whatever
with any Florida land schemes. If
he ever has any Florida or any
other land for sale, that fact will
be announced later.**THOUGHTS
OF THE WEEK**

By J. A. West

**THE TENNESSEE VALLEY
AND HER FARMERS**The present year has been one of
the most important for the Tennessee
Valley towns in many. Everybody has
had money, the planters coming in
for a large share, the rewards of the
harvest.When the farming people make
money, there is money in every depart-
ment of our activities. This money
is going to find an outlet in improve-
ments of various character, which will
be reflected in better country homes,
better equipment for the farms, and
more luxuries and helpful things for
the farm than formerly.Alabama today according to recent
statistics is leading the rest of the
southern states in the use of electric-
ity for the farms. This labor sav-
ing equipment is a large step toward
in the work of the farmer and re-
duces his heavy work in many
instances to light pleasant recreation.More farm homes are being equip-
ped with lighting system that at any
time in our history, and these things
mean improvement and better condi-
tions.The advent of radio has been of
great benefit to the farmer and his
family, giving them the cream of the
current news, the daily markets, vari-
ous programs of music and song
from the best masters, all of which
is of great value and enjoyment to
any one. Besides the enjoyment
gathered from an evening's entertain-
ment, there is the educational feature
as well, and on top of these comes
the financial rewards, because it keeps
him posted on the various markets
of the nation, and he is enabled to get
the right price for his produce and
know that he is doing it.The coming together of large bodies
of farmers from every section of the
country, (the county fair for instance)
always pays dividends. Various mat-
ters directly affecting their work and
problems is discussed by them, andthey brush elbows with their fellow
farmers, getting better acquainted,
and relax from the duties of the year
to return to their homes, in many
instances with a larger vision and a
firmer knowledge that the work in
which they are engaged is the biggest
organization extant and one on which
depends entirely, every other industry
we know.When the energy housed in the wa-
ters of the Tennessee are put to work
turning out cheap commercial fertil-
izer for the farmers of the Tennessee
Valley, more of it will be applied to
the various crops of the year, and
this will be reflected quickly in the
returns from the harvest. This matter
has been held up too long already,
and the barrier should be removed; poli-
tics thrown out the capital window,
and statesmen assert themselves that
this matter shall be brought to a
speedy conclusion, and the enervat-
ing influences begin



SOCIETY

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

MONDAY

Christian Women's Union, 2 p. m. Mrs. J. L. Echols.
Westminster Missionary Society, 3 p. m. Mrs. W. R. Johnson.
St. John's Guild, 2 p. m. Miss Mary Sheppard.

TUESDAY

Tuesday Whist Club. Miss Marjory Beard.
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club. Mrs. C. L. Saunders.

WEDNESDAY

Catoctin Literary Club 3 p. m. Mrs. Thomas Hodson.
Married Ladies Bridge Club. Mr. and C. B. Elliott.

THURSDAY

Thursday Club, Mrs. J. Y. Hamil. Thursday Bridge Club. Mrs. J. W. Boggess.

FRIDAY

Friday Thirteen, Mrs. A. A. Hardage.
Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. F. S. Hunt.

CLASS SOCIAL

The Social Service Class of the Central Methodist Sunday school was entertained on Friday at the home of Mrs. B. A. Turner on Johnston street with Mrs. Rushing as joint hostess. Roses and chrysanthemums added to the attractiveness of the home.

A business session was held and election of officers for the year resulted as follows: president Mrs. B. A. Turner; vice president, Mrs. J. H. Brannum, secretary, Mrs. A. W. Reams; treasurer, Miss Grace Garrison.

Later several contests were participated in after which a tempting salad course was very much enjoyed.

SOCIAL AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH

A most enjoyable social was held at the First Methodist church of Decatur, on Friday evening.

The guests were met at the door by the board of Stewards and the tag committee.

Rev. Claude Orear, the genial pastor of this church, opened the program with prayer. Each department of the church took part including the primary, junior, intermediate, senior and adults of the Sunday school, the missionary society and the Epworth league. Probably the best number was that given by the juniors of the Sunday school and this was a glimpse into the future of the Sunday school with Billy Boswell, the superintendent, calling an indignation meeting in which a number of speeches were given with reference to the annex which had been the dream of their fathers and mothers. This skit with a song was composed by Mrs. Foster Pointer.

Much of the evenings pleasure was furnished by the Kam Ram band and the Y. M. C. A. quartet whose numbers were very much appreciated.

Refreshments were served in the Sunday school room which was decorated in autumn leaves and Hallowe'en motifs.

FRIDAY THIRTEEN

Mrs. C. B. Elliott entertained the Friday Thirteen this week and she had two substituting guests, Mrs. Saunders Cortner and Mrs. A. E. Humphrey.

The club prize fell to Mrs. W. K. McNeill while Mrs. Humphrey won the visitors trophy.

MRS. HINES,
ROOK HOSTESS

Mrs. Emmett Hines was a rook hostess of Friday when the Canal Street Rook club met at her home and she invited the following supplementary guests to play, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. W. M. Voorhies, Mrs. Leroy McEntire and Mrs. Hartwell Davis.

Mesdames Ballas and Hunt were awarded the club prizes and Mrs. McEntire the visitors trophy. Mrs. Brown cut low for the consolation gift.

Later lovely refreshments were served.

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SOCIAL MEETING OF
TRINITY SOCIETY

Mrs. Claudia McBride was hostess at the social meeting of the Trinity Missionary Society at her home in Trinity this week. The attendance was splendid.

The president had charge of the program and gave an outline history of the Vahti School at Thomasville, Ga.

The hostess served delicious ices with cakes.

MUSICAL AT RENTROC

The Ladies Aid Society of the Westminster Presbyterian church will give a musical at Rentroc on Tuesday night beginning at 8 o'clock.

The following program will be rendered:

Numbers by Hartselle Orchestra.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. Joe Petty.

Numbers, Crane Quartet.

Vocal duet, Miss Ruth Banks and Mrs. R. M. McGlathery.

Song, Miss Dorothy Patterson.

Reading, Miss Steinmeyer.

Piano solo, Mrs. H. O. Troup.

Vocal solo, Mrs. W. K. McNeill.

Selections by Hartselle Orchestra.

Light refreshments will be served.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. B. A. Turner and at the bridge game Mrs. Robert Gray made top score.

The hostess served a salad course and at this time the players were joined by Mrs. Bobette.

Mrs. Turner's home was unusually pretty with bowls of chrysanthemums and roses.

Miss Mary Collier spent the past two days attending the Teachers Institute at Hartselle.

Mrs. Frazier of Memphis, Tenn., is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Charles Emens.

Mrs. Rayburn Neville is confined to her home with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Todd will spend the weekend in Birmingham with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Todd.

Miss De Alva Alexander who is attending Cumberland University, at Lebanon, Tenn., arrived Friday night to be the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander.

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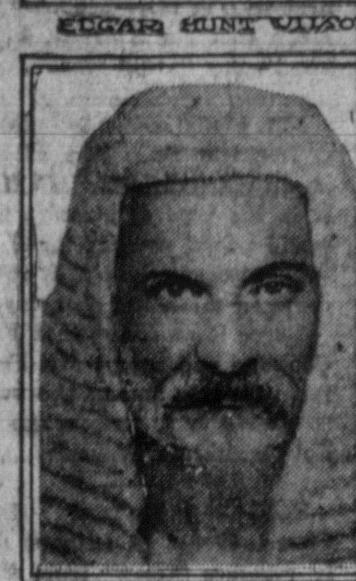
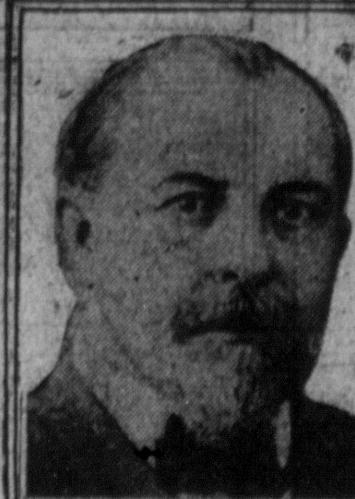
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GATTI-CASAZZA

V. J. PATEL

BATTLE PRECEDES
JOHNSON KILLINGAccused Man Refuses
To Talk Of Events
Before Murder

(Associated Press)

BIRMINGHAM, Oct. 24—That the death of Willis Johnson who was shot and instantly killed by I. W. Reynolds at the latter's home late yesterday came after a fist and skull battle between the two men, is the theory advanced by detectives working on the case today.

An investigation of the body of the dead man revealed that the knuckles on his right hand were hurt and that one of his fingers seemed injured, indicated that a struggle had preceded the shooting.

Reynolds, who surrendered and was taken to jail following the shooting refused to state whether he and Johnson had fought before the shooting. "I will have nothing to say until later," he said. "I don't feel good today anyway."

He declined steadfastly to answer numerous questions.

After he had shot Johnson, Rey-

nolds is said to have turned and fired point blank at his small daughter. No possible motive for this action has been suggested by the clues now in possession of local police.

(Associated Press)
Reports from Greensboro reveal that fruit trees in that section are in full bloom, and that the people living in the vicinity have planted gardens with the hope of raising vegetables for the late fall.

REXALL 1c sale is coming soon, make your pennies do the work of dollars—Advt. It

(Associated Press)

Mrs. Annie Mae Beddow, of Birmingham, has been elected president of the state nurses association to serve for the coming year. The association will hold its convention next year at Mobile.

(Associated Press)

Montgomery is preparing to hold "open-house" on October 31, when Auburn and Tulane play at Cramton bowl. Many firms have already signified their intention of letting their employees off for the afternoon to attend the contest.

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Holy Communion 7:30.
Church school 9:45.
Morning prayer and sermon 11.

THE DECATUR BAPTIST CHURCH
9:30 Children's week in Sunday school
11 Special sermon to parent's. Subject "Why Am I?"
7:30 Special Music Night.
Brief Sermon "Thy Heart is not Right with God."

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday school 10.
Preaching 11 and 7:15.
All services will be conducted in the basement of the new church building. Come and enjoy the simple services with us.

CENTRAL METHODIST

9:30 Sunday school.
11 Morning worship.
3 Address by Dr. C. M. Fillmore.
6:30 Epworth Leagues.
7:30 Evening worship.

WILLOUGHBY PRESBYTERIAN

9:45 Sunday school.
11 "The church and the Ministry."
6 Christian Endeavors.
7 "The High Cost of Living".
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Westover

MISCELLANEOUS

YOUTH HAS BETTER
SIDE THAN PICTURED

Generation To Govern
Better Than Present,
Says Land

(Associated Press)

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 24.—That the dismal picture of erring youth, portrayed so frequently these days, has its better and brighter side was the contention made here today by Frank S. Land, founder and Grand Scribe of the Order of DeMolay. He voiced the opinion that if one would take time to compile statistics on the clean, upright youth of America, he would change his viewpoint on the nation's future citizenship.

The good deeds a young fellow does usually are unrecognized or taken for granted," said Mr. Land. "However, let this same chap get caught in the least unlawful act and his name is blazoned forth on the printed page and bandied from mouth to mouth. A vast amount of comment greets his bad act but interminable silence his good. My experiences lead me to believe that ninety-five per cent of the young men of this country are on the level. The other five per cent include the chaps who have either gone completely bad or are on the criminal fringe.

The young men of today will in the future govern our country, perhaps, just a little better than it is being handled now," concluded Mr. Land.

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SATURDAY NEWS LETTER

News Bits Gathered From The Four
Corners Of The Earth By
The Associated Press

LONDON, Oct. 24.—George Bernard Shaw, vegetarian non-smoker and teetotaler remarked with a chuckle when he was informed recently that he had been selected as godfather for a cigar that a German firm has named after him. "Well, didn't the herring make Bismarck famous?"

One of the anti-Shaw newspapers and there are several in England, concludes that the cigar is intended as a kind of monument to G. B. S. because the author absolved the Germans of all guilt for starting the world war long before they began propagating in their own behalf.

The Manchester Guardian says that this German tribute to Shaw does not suggest a passion for the cigars vegetarian products though they be. "And if the name did suggest cigars," the Guardian continues, "it wouldn't suggest good ones, for the essence of a good cigar is to be bland and pervasive, while the essence of our vastly distinguished dramatist is to be pungent and penetrating."

It is recalled that the Earl of Sandwich, in the 18th century, made himself immortal by giving his name to the common sandwich. He was such an inveterate gambler that he would not rise from the gaming table for his meals, but had meat and cheese brought to him between slices of bread. So the name "sandwich" for such a snack came into general use. It is also recalled that the peach melba, in which the name of the famous prima donna was used, has gained world-wide renown.

However, as the milestone along the path of glory reached is reached, by Shaw, the Morning Post says it does not believe that the Shaw cigar ever will be widely "read" by more than a handful of Germans who like something strong with their bock beer.

It is libelous to refer to a choir singer as a "cheap chorus girl?" This is a question which is interesting visitors as well as residents of Torquay, one of England's summer and winter seaside resorts. The town is all stirred up over the affair, which began when one of the congregation of the Torquay Baptist church described the choir members as "very much like cheap theater chorus girls" because it was claimed that they sometimes posed.

When news of the remark got around to the choir, the singers went on strike and some even consulted lawyers. Mrs. Winifred Blackler, one of the oldest of the choir members said she and the other singers thought it entirely out of place and uncalled for to be compared with so-called "cheap chorus girls," after all the years of work she and the other women had given to church singing. Furthermore, there would be no hymns as far as they were concerned until due apologies were made.

Richard Munn, choir-master, who is making every effort to organize a temporary choir to carry on as long as the women are on strike, differs with Mrs. Blackler, asserting:

"I don't see that it is a disgrace to be called a chorus girl." This remark has added fuel to the flames.

Frank Elliot, assistant commissioner of police, in London, who recently spent a week in Paris studying traffic conditions in the French capital, cheered Paris by this comment:

"Paris is a young girl with a fresh complexion that denotes good circulation, whereas London is a cross-faced old lady who must put herself on a diet. Paris, I might add, seems to have been designed as a great artist, while London appears to be the work of a futurist."

The only solution for London's traffic problem would be another fire like that of 1666, and I am not too hopeful, even about that, because the London fire department is too efficient these days ever to let a blaze get any headway."

President Doumergue, like most of his predecessors as chief magistrate of France, does not like to be shadowed by secret service men, consequently, when the chief of the "presidential safety service" was transferred to other functions, M. Doumergue hoped devoutly that he would not be replaced. He said as much to M. Schramek, minister of the interior.

But that dignitary held up his hands in holy horror. "Ah, no, Mr. President," he exclaimed. "It is I, not you, who am in danger. I am responsible to parliament for the safety of your person. If anything should happen to you, I would be interpolated on it in the chamber and undoubtedly forced to resign. Thus, you see,

any casualty to you would be a double one."

M. Doumergue thought awhile and finally exclaimed:

"Ah, well, I suppose the service of security has got to go on then. But I can see now that it's your security, not mine, that is being assured."

"Anything to stay in Paris," and "anything to get back to America" are slogans equally responsible for a sudden increase in American representation in the dish-washing profession and in park bench lodgings here.

There is a real class distinction between the two, however, and the "anything to stay in Paris" group is refusing to give aid, comfort or sympathy to the "anything to get back to America" members whom it professes to scorn.

The record number of American tourists during the past summer has left a record number of stragglers behind.

The charm of Paris has captured some of these, the desire to see a little more of Europe than the budget originally called for has left others stranded.

When starvation comes a little too close, they seek out the American aid society. The society's waiting list for employment or transportation now totals 400, though they are not quite so select as the other "four hundred."

"I tried to sell pumps to French farmers," said a neatly, if snabbly dressed young man yesterday, "but they don't take to the things like the Americans. I thought I could pay my way around Europe but now it's the park bench." Work is scarce now and money for transportation is scarce. It looks like a cold, sad winter, whether these belated adventurers want to go or to stay.

"Marie" is in high favor among the stage directors of Berlin. Not only is the popular refrain of the American operetta, "Rose Marie" winning nightly applause in numerous music halls, but the Thalia theater is now presenting "Anne Marie" at the Grosse Schauspielhaus. "Marie, Marie," is the chief musical hit of a revue entitled "For You" in the Comische opera, where "From A to Z" is being played, a song called "Good-night, Marie" closes the performance and at the Admiral's Palaste an amorous swain adoringly sings "You have the most Beautiful Neck, Marie."

"Who is going to rescue us from this epidemic of Marie?" is the question raised by one of the Berlin newspapers.

An unusual case of clairvoyancy is occupying the attention of the courts of Bernburg, in Anhalt, where a Canton, Miss.

One named Drost, claiming to be an "occult detective" has been arrested on a charge of illegally practicing occultism for money. Drost actually has been able to convince the chief expert testifying against him, Dr. Hellwig, that only the possession of "second sight" could enable him to make certain discoveries with which he is credited.

One sample of this has been brought out. A large quantity of laundry was stolen from the garret of a house in the town of Calbe, 20 miles north of Bernburg. Although neither Drost nor his medium had ever seen Calbe, described exactly the clothes-line on which the laundry was suspended when it was stolen, the kind of clothes, dim used, the character of the clothes, on the line. The owner of the missing laundry did not himself know all these details, but they later proved to be true. The medium next named the thief and the place where the laundry was hidden. The thief was caught and confessed. This is said to be only one of several cases of clairvoyancy conducted by Drost and his medium which are puzzling the experts.

The consumption of cordials in Germany today is only one third of pre-war days, according to a confidential report compiled by one of the leading distilleries.

During the last few years before the world war the average annual consumption of cordials for each head of population was more than three quarts. It is now less than one quart.

The principal reason for this decline is economy, as the prices of liquors are now too high for persons of moderate means. This degression in the consumption of heavy drinks is somewhat offset by the fact that light wines are being consumed more than before the war, owing chiefly to the low prices of wines imported from countries in which the currencies have depreciated, such as France.

WASHINGON, Oct. 24.—The wealthy Washington woman who yesterday turned over to the police, jewelry and wearing apparel valued at \$43,000 and which was identified by Mrs. Rose Burkin of New York as having been stolen from her by a man now under arrest in St. Louis.

The name of John W. Weitmeier has disclosed her identity as Mrs. Virginia M. Beaverbrook, formerly of

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BIRMINGHAM POST—October 28.

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DECATUR HIGH IS HELD TO TIE GAME

Decatur high battled to a scoreless tie with the Fairview Vocational school Friday afternoon at the new athletic field after a drive in the first quarter failed as Decatur funneled them the ball deep in the Fairview territory.

Bailey was the outstanding figure in the Decatur offense, sharing honors with Namie who was likewise adept at running the Fairview ends. The Fairview team fought a brilliant fight and time after time G. Oaks and C. Oaks pierced the Decatur line for first downs. Fairview was likewise halted by fumbles when they drove into Decatur territory after recovering a fumbled punt. The two teams recently fought at Arab, Ala., the Decatur team winning 6-0. A good crowd witnessed the scoreless battle.

Following is a detail of the game:

Fairview	Decatur
Woodard	LE Oldacre
Hart	LT Lewis
Smith	LG Keys
Sanders	C Lanier
Denny	RG Conley
Wilkins	RT Price
Eldred	RE Glenn
Walker	QB Morrow
C. Oaks	RHB Namie
Fowler	LHB Bailey
G. Oaks	FB West

First Quarter

Decatur kicked to Sanders who returned 10 and fumbled, Decatur recovering. Namie hit right guard for 3. Bailey hit left end for 10 and first down. Bailey went over the other end for 5. Namie hit left end for 6 and first down. Namie was stopped at right end. Namie repeated at the same place for 4. Bailey stopped at the same end with no gain. Ball going over on Fairview's 20 yard line. A pass was intercepted, Fairview passing on the first play. Ball in the middle of the field. Decatur fumbled, Fairview recovering. Fowler failed at right end. G. Oaks lost 5 at the line. C. Oaks made 3 at center. Fairview kicked to Bailey who fumbled the punt and Fairview recovered. C. Oaks made 3 at right guard. G. Oaks made 5 at the same place. Fowler made it first down at right guard. C. Oaks made 3 at center. Fowler picked up 2 at guard. G. Oaks was halted. Fairview punted to Namie with a short return to end the quarter. Score Decatur 0, Fairview 0.

Second Quarter

Bailey lost 10 at left end, Decatur kicked to Fairview in center of the field. G. Oaks made 5 at right end, he failed at the line, Fowler was stopped. Fairview kicked to Namie who returned 4. Namie made 5 at right end. Bailey drove 15 at left end. Morrow made 3 at the line. West dove into the line for 3. Decatur fumbled, Fairview recovering on the 20 yard line. G. Oaks failed. Fowler made 1 at tackle. G. Oaks pass was grounded. Fairview kicked to the Decatur 40 yard line. Bailey failed at right end. West stopped at the line. Decatur kicked to Fairview near the center of the field. G. Oaks failed at the line and C. Oaks was stopped. Preuit went in for Fowler. G. Oaks dashed to a first down. End of half. Score Decatur 0, Fairview 0.

Third Quarter

Decatur received, Gunn failing to make a return. Bailey was stopped at right end. West pass was grounded. Namie lost 5. West kicked 30 yards. Fairview's ball on own 40 yard line. Fowler lost 5. Fowler failed at the line. Fairview kicked short and the ball was in the center of the field. Bryant went in for Price. Bailey stopped at right end and Namie at left end. Decatur kicked short. Fairview's ball in center of field. Roberts went in for Conley and Preuit in for Fowler. Decatur was penalized 30 yards for illegal substitution and it was Fairview's ball on Decatur's 30 yard line. G. Oaks failed. G. Oaks made 2 he failed at center and on the next attempt Decatur held and the ball went over. West pass to Oldacre failed. Bailey was forced out of bounds at left end. West pass to Oldacre again failed. Decatur kicked to Preuit who returned 3. G. Oaks made 1 at right end. Preuit was stopped at the line as the quarter ended. Score Decatur 0, Fairview 0.

Fourth Quarter

G. Oaks fumbled and Decatur recovered. West pass to Namie was incomplete. Bailey made five at the right side. Decatur punted with no return. G. Oaks failed at the line. Preuit was halted at the same place. Fairview kicked to West who returned 10. Bailey lost 10 at right end. Another pass to Oldacre failed. Decatur kicked 30 to the 35 yard line. G. Oaks halted. Cagle went in for Morrow. G. Oaks made 3 at right end. G. Oaks repeated and made it first down in a third thrust. C. Oaks made 1 and another yard at the line. Fairview kicked and Decatur reviewed the passing game. West pass to Oldacre failed as the game ended. Score Decatur 0, Fairview 0.



SPORTS

Howard Reserves And Independents Play a Scoreless Deadlock Here

The Howard Freshmen Reserves and the Y. M. C. A. Independents played a scoreless tie on Malone field Friday afternoon, in one of the best contests seen here in years. While failing to produce a measure of superiority, the game did give local fans an opportunity to see what probably was the best individual gridiron performance ever given on a local field, in the playing of Grisham, local end.

Grisham started at end and played a short time in the backfield, later returning to end. He did everything well that a good end should do. He rushed passers, was on top of receivers of kicks, broke up interference, blocked splendidly and never was out of a play. There was not a moment of any quarter he was not playing brilliantly.

The entire Independent team held up well on defense. The scoreless deadlock speaks well for the locals defensive ability, for Howard brought here a scoring machine of no mean possibilities. The visitors possessed any number of fast stepping call carriers if the talent offered here is any indication of the future strength of the Baptists, the football future of Howard has a decidedly rosy tint.

The lineups:

Howard	Y. M. C. A.
Morgan	LE Shelton
Griffith	LT Byars
James	LG Thomas
Sudduth	C Kirby
Weeks	RG Clark
Franklin	RT Ashwander
Reynolds	RE Grisham
Harris	QB Johnson
Cranford	LHB Braswell
Fisher	RHB Ellison
Clark	FB McRee

First Quarter

Johnson ran Howard's kickoff back to the 26 yard line. Two backs failed and Howard then recovered a partially blocked punt on the Independent's 35 yard line. Three tries gained only three yards for Howard and Harris kicked to the Independents 8 yard stripe. Braswell made 8 at right end. Johnson recovered one fumble and Kirby another, with a five yard loss. Braswell kicked to the middle of the field. Clark rammed center for six and Fisher made it first down over right tackle. Cranford, on a cross cross, made 9. Harris hit left tackle for first down. Fisher, in two smashes, made 9. Clark was stopped at center, but Harris hit right guard for first down. The ball was on the Independent 9 yard line. Cranford made one at left tackle, Harris, on a shift play, smashed right tackle for 3. Sudduth recovered a fumble, without gain. A pass failed and the ball went over on the Independent five yard stripe.

Braswell punted out of danger and Grisham nailed Harris in his tracks. The kick bounced over Harris' head and travelled nearly 60 yards.

Fourth Quarter

It was raining. Bud Harris, Jackson and Fox made a first down on the Independents' 25 yard line. Harris fumbled, but recovered. Fox, on a long end run failed to gain. Two passes were grounded.

Grisham went into the backfield and gained three yards in two tries, then returning to end. Braswell punted to Howard's 35 yard stripe. Bradley made seven at right end, but an end around end play gained but one. Howard then crashed through for another first down. Three running plays failed to make the distance and Bradley kicked out of bounds on the Independents' eleven yard line. McRee

RAIN BRINGS WOE TO CRIMSON CAMP

Alabama's Followers Tramping Streets Of Atlanta In Woe

(Associated Press)

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 24.—Dark, low-hanging clouds and a drizzling rain, which fell throughout the night and early today, brought gloom into the Tech and Alabama camps, due to clash on the Tech gridiron this afternoon.

A large contingent of Alabamians arrived on an early train and tramped the streets in woe. The local weather bureau forecast a continuation of the rain through the day.

Confident of duplicating its feat of last season in blanking Georgia Tech the Alabama Crimson Tide is in prime condition for the annual melee with the undefeated Golden Tornado.

The game holds the spotlight of attention in the South today by reason of the conference championship alibi of both outfits which are sharing honors with several other teams in the race for the title.

This fray will mark the 13th meeting of Tech and Alabama since the initial tilt in 1902. The Yellow Jackets have annexed seven of these games and Alabama three, while the remaining two contests have been scoreless deadlocks.

Alabama, with her best team in several seasons, is facing a similar Tornado. Matched man for man, the Tide has the edge in weight with several ponderous 200 pounders, while Tech has the more versatile backfield, centered around Captain Doug Wycoff.

The Crimson "Thin Red Line" has successfully withstood the battering of four increasingly powerful foes, in turn, sweeping back Sewanee last Saturday without permitting a single first down.

The Tornado, on the other hand, has mowed down four dangerous adversaries, defeating Penn State and Florida on successive weekends. Against no teams this year has Tech been forced to uncover every trick in her repertoire, but Alabama may force her to use every stratagem to cop this setto.

Alabama Tech

Winslett	LE Merkale
Camp	LT Thorpe
Jones (c)	LG Godwin
Holmes	C Pool
Buckler	RG Forrester
Perry	RT Carpenter
Hudson	RE Marshall
Gillis	QB Williams
Brown	LHB Wycoff
Barnes	RHB Barron
Hubert	FB Murray

made three in two drives and Braswell kicked to the middle of the field.

Clark fumbled, but recovered. Bradley passed to Fisher for 20 yards. Jackson made one at right end, but a second pass failed. Bradley swept right end, carrying the ball to the 15 yard line. Grisham recovered Clark's fumble on the 20 yard line. Braswell lost one at right end and then kicked to the middle of the field. One pass failed and another was good for 15 yards as the game ended.

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Local Men On Trip To National City

A. H. Hoff, delegate for the state of Alabama and C. J. Randolph, secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. left last night for Washington, D. C. where they will attend the sessions of the National Council of the Y. M. C. A. gathered in convention in that city. Mr. Hoff was chosen as a representative from this state at a recent meeting held in Montgomery. The local men expect to return the latter part of next week.

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Banking Houses (15) 106,250.00	Reserve 124,392.27
Furniture & Fixtures (16) 47,500.00	Bills Payable 250,000.00
Other Real Estate 7,700.00	Deposits 6,173,635.40
Cash and due from Banks 942,720.86	
	\$6,998,027.67
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